പ്രൊസീഡിഗ്സ ഇവിടത്തെ രണ്ടു ഹൌസിലും ഉള്ള മെമ്പേർസ്സിനു സപ്ലൈ ചെയ്യണം. ഇപ്പോൾ ലൈബറിയിൽ ഒരുസെറ്റു പുസ്തകം മാത്രമെയുള്ളു. ആ ഒരുസെറ്റു പുസ്തകംകൊണ്ടു നൂറിൽപരം മെംബറന്മാർ ഉള്ള ഈ രണ്ടുസഭകളിലേയും സാമാജികന്മാക്കു റഫറൻസിനു് മതിയാകുന്നില്ല.

MR. KOMILEZATHU SANKARAN: ശ്രീമൂലം അസംബ്ലിയിലെ പ്രൊസിഡിഗ്സിന്റെ കാപ്പി കൌൺസിൽ മെമ്പേർസിനും കൌൺസിൽ പ്രൊസിഡിഗ്സിന്റെ കാപ്പി അസംബ്ലി മെമ്പേഴ്സിനും കൊടുക്കേണ്ടതു് അത്യാവശ്യമാണെന്നറിയാമോ?

MR. A. N. VISVANATHA PILLAI: അതു അത്യാവശ്യമാണു്.

MR. M. N. PARAMESVARAN PILLAI: ഇപ്പോഴതന്നെ അങ്ങനെകൊടുക്കുന്നുണ്ടെന്നറിയാമോ?

MR. A. N. VISVANATHA PILLAI: അറിയാം. അതുകൊണ്ടാണു് ഞാൻ അതിനെപ്പറ്റി പ്രസ്താവിക്കാതിരുന്നിട്ടുള്ളതു്.

MR. KOMILEZHATHU SANKARAN: അങ്ങിനെയാണെങ്കിൽ ഒന്നാംദിവസത്തെ കൌൺസിൽപ്രൊസീഡിഗ്സ് ഇതുവരെ കിട്ടിയിട്ടില്ല എന്നറിയാമോ?

MR. A. N. VISVANATHA PILLAI: എനിക്കു കിട്ടിയിട്ടുണ്ടു്.

MR. KOMILEZHATHU SANKARAN: ഒന്നാം ദിവസം നടന്ന അസംബ്ലിയുടെ പ്രൊസീഡിഗ്സ് കിട്ടിയിട്ടില്ലെന്നറിയാമോ?

MR A. N. VISVANATHA PILLAI: അതു് എനിക്കറിഞ്ഞുകൂടാ.

ഈ വകകാര്യങ്ങളും ഞാൻ ഗവൺമെൻറിന്റെ ദൃഷ്ടിയിൽകൊണ്ടുവന്നുകൊള്ളുന്നു.

PRESIDENT: I put it that Demand XIV—General Administration—Legislative Bodies—for Rs. 66,619 be passed.

The grant was made.

DEMAND XV—GENERAL ADMINISTRATION—ACCOUNT OFFICE.

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI: I move for a grant not exceeding Rs. 1,58,734 under Demand XV—General Administration—Account Office.

MR. M. N. PARAMESVARAN PILLAI: Sir, as the member representing the municipalities of the State I take this opportunity to place before Government one of the most important and standing

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grievances of these self-governing institutions. All petitions presented to the Municipal Councils of the State either for copies of records or for licenses or for redress of grievances, etc. have now to be stamped with a two chackrams stamp. On an average I find not less than a thousand rupees worth of court fee stamps are made use of every year in the Trivandrum Municipality. But all the revenue under stamps goes to Government and the municipality gets nothing. What I have to say is that after deducting the actual expenses incurred for manufacturing these stamps the rest of the revenue derived from the sale of stamps for municipal purposes should be remitted to the Municipal Councils. I am told that the Municipal Councils of Kayankulam, Nagercoil and other places have represented to Government about this grievance. I hope this matter will receive the earnest consideration of Government.

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI: Sir, that is a matter not connected with the Account office at all. But what the member has stated, of course, the Chief Secretary has heard, and he will take action.

PRESIDENT: I put it that Demand XV—General Administration—Account office—for Rs. 1,58,734 be passed.

The grant was made.

DEMAND XVI—FOREST.

MR. R. DHANUKOTI PILLAI: Sir, I move for a grant not exceeding Rs. 8,08,538 under Demand XVI—Forest.

MR. K. P. NILAKANTA PILLAI: Sir, I move for the omission of the demand. The object of the motion is, Sir, to prevail upon the Conservator of Forests so that he may agree to the proposition that as far as possible some cultivable portions of the Reserved Forests may be thrown open for assignment. The Conservator, according to me, is a very desirable man so far as the Forest Department is concerned. He is a very zealous keeper of the forests of the country. He will never part with an inch of land, whether it is useless or useful, to be thrown out of the Reserve, so that the growing demand for registry of land on the part of the public may be satisfied. From the report of the Census Commissioner several facts are evident. The population in the coastal region is very great. The possibility of an outlet for the employment of the population towards the middle and forest regions ought to be considered. Secondly, it has also been found that for an economic holding at least 5 acres are necessary. The Census Commissioner has also substantiated by figures that the area now available for cultivation compared to the population of the country comes only to $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres. Therefore it is not possible to find $2\frac{1}{2}$ acres of land and to cultivate that extent economically. Therefore, there is a growing demand for more land. To find an outlet for the over-population on the coastal and central regions, some method has to be discovered. The Census Commissioner also considered the pros and cons of the question of migration to foreign

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